



Journal of the Senate

State of Indiana

115th General Assembly

Second Regular Session

Twenty-fourth Meeting Day

Monday Afternoon

March 3, 2008

The Senate convened at 1:38 p.m., with the President of the Senate, Rebecca S. Skillman, in the Chair.

Prayer was offered by Senator Timothy Lanane.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Senator Lanane.

The Chair ordered the roll of the Senate to be called. Those present were:

Alting <input type="checkbox"/>	Long
Arnold	Lubbers
Becker	Meeks <input type="checkbox"/>
Boots	Merritt
Bray	Miller
Breaux	Mishler
Broden	Mrvan
Charbonneau	Nugent
Deig	Paul
Delph	Riegsecker
Dillon	Rogers
Drozda <input type="checkbox"/>	Simpson
Errington	Sipes
Ford <input type="checkbox"/>	Skinner
Gard	Smith <input type="checkbox"/>
Hershman <input type="checkbox"/>	Steele
Howard <input type="checkbox"/>	Tallian
Hume	Walker
Jackman	Waltz
Kenley	Waterman
Kruse	Weatherwax
Lanane	Wyss
Landske	Young, M.
Lawson	Young, R.
Lewis	Zakas <input type="checkbox"/>

Roll Call 289: present 42; excused 8. [Note: A ☐ indicates those who were excused.] The Chair announced a quorum present. Pursuant to Senate Rule 5(d), no motion having been heard, the Journal of the previous day was considered read.

RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

Senate Resolution 33

Senate Resolution 33, introduced by Senator Gard:

A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring the Brandywine Elementary School Spell Bowl Team.

Whereas, On November 15, 2007, 440 elementary division teams competed at 36 host sites across Indiana in the Indiana Academic Teams for Excellence (IACE) Elementary Spell Bowl

competition sponsored by Purdue University;

Whereas, The Brandywine Elementary School Spell Bowl Team became the 2007 Class Four Spell Bowl State Champion, scoring 55 points out of a possible 56 points;

Whereas, The Brandywine Elementary School Spell Bowl Team's near-perfect score reflects how hard the students studied;

Whereas, Through their efforts to improve their spelling skills, the students have learned good habits in word usage that will stay with them throughout their lives;

Whereas, The Brandywine Elementary School Spell Bowl Team members represented their school with good hard work, sportsmanship, dignity, and honor; and

Whereas, Excellence and effort in academics deserve special recognition: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate congratulates the Brandywine Elementary School Spell Bowl Team on its efforts and accomplishments and wishes the team continued success in future competitions.

SECTION 2. That copies of this resolution be transmitted by the Secretary of the Senate to Superintendent James Halik, Principal Bruce Miller, Coach Pam Swinford, Coach Kristie Satterfield, Proctor David Robinson, parent/volunteer Stephanie Gohmann, and the team members: captains Lauren Dickson and Regan Elsea, Zoe Burrow, Henri Kinson, Amanda Maier, Sam Garrison, Reid Gohmann, Jocelyn Hall, Cara Johnson, Alyson Moore, Jason Hooper, Jaxon Pridgen, Vasiliki Rudd, Carmen Ripley, and Zachary Shircliff.

The resolution was read in full and adopted by voice vote.

Senate Resolution 34

Senate Resolution 34, introduced by Senator Errington:

A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to assign the topic of different methods of massage being conducted under cosmetology and estheticians for study during the interim.

Whereas, Indiana has chosen to regulate the profession of massage therapy in order to protect the citizens of our state; and

Whereas, Consumers are often uncertain of the fact that they are receiving massage therapy from individuals who may not

have received the appropriate training in massage therapy: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Legislative Council is urged to assign the topic of different methods of massage therapy being provided by cosmetologists and estheticians to the appropriate interim study committee.

SECTION 2. That the issues studied include, but are not limited to the following: examination of the term massage in the cosmetology statutes; elimination of the use of the term "body massage," "Swedish Massage," relaxation massage," and massage therapy from cosmetology services; and recommendations for protecting the public through the appropriate regulation of cosmetology, esthetician and massage therapy services.

SECTION 3. That the committee, if established, shall operate under the direction of the legislative council, and that the committee shall issue a final report when directed to do so by the council.

The resolution was read in full and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedure.

Senate Resolution 36

Senate Resolution 36, introduced by Senator Miller:

A SENATE RESOLUTION assigning a directive to the Mandated Benefits Task Force.

Whereas, The General Assembly needs information to determine the impact of legislation, if passed, that would require insurance companies and health maintenance organizations to make a direct payment to an out-of-network health care provider if a patient has made an assignment of benefit to the health care provider; and

Whereas, The cost of this requirement is currently unknown to the General Assembly, and further analysis is needed: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Mandated Benefits Task Force shall review the costs incurred by other states that require direct payment to a out-of-network provider with an assignment of benefit, evaluate the cost and impact to the state if the General Assembly requires insurance companies and health maintenance organizations to make a direct payment to an out-of network health care provider who has an assignment of benefit, and report back to the health finance commission and the legislative council (in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6) not later than September 1, 2008, with the task force's findings and any recommendations.

The resolution was read in full and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedure.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill 42:

Conferees:

C. Brown and Frizzell

Advisors:

Welch and T. Brown

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill 31:

Conferees:

Dembowski and Duncan

Advisors:

Austin and Walorski

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1290. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Avery, Chair

Bell

Advisors:

Summers, Day, and Noe

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1204. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Crooks, Chair

Soliday

Advisors:

Tincher, Wolkins, and Torr

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1197. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Pierce, Chair
Knollman

Advisors:

Reske and Koch

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1159. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Welch, Chair
Lutz

Advisors:

Kersey and Borrer

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1117. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Stilwell, Chair
Koch

Advisors:

Battles and Lutz

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1107. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Porter, Chair
Behning

Advisors:

Robertson, Simms, and Dermody

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1096. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Hoy, Chair
Koch

Advisors:

Bischoff and Steuerwald

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1071. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Grubb, Chair
Richardson

Advisors:

Pierce and Thompson

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1019. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Avery, Chair
Buell

Advisors:

Niezdowski, Murphy, and Leonard

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills 175, 189, 192, 208, 227, and 352 with amendments and the same are herewith returned to the Senate for concurrence.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed, without amendments, Engrossed Senate Bills 207 and 223 and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed, without amendments, Engrossed Senate Bills 117, 118, 134, and 153 and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills 22, 27, 28, 81, 107, and 111 with amendments and the same are herewith returned to the Senate for concurrence.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill 62:

Conferees:

Dembowski and Foley

Advisors:

Bardon, Murphy, and Hinkle

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill 91:

Conferees:

Avery and Knollman

Advisors:

Summers and Walorski

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill 164:

Conferees:

C. Brown and T. Brown

Advisors:

Welch and Crouch

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill 235:

Conferees:

Pierce and Richardson

Advisors:

GiaQuinta and Lehe

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representative to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed House Bill 1117:

Advisor:

Grubb

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representative to a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Engrossed House Bill 1001:

Advisors:

Cochran and Klinker

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1042. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Goodin, Chair

T. Harris

Advisors:

Lawson, Stutzman, and Thomas

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1379. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the

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Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Fry, Chair
Ripley

Advisors:

GiaQuinta and Torr

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1286. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Austin, Chair
Buck

Advisors:

Blanton and Hinkle

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1284. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Fry, Chair
Ripley

Advisors:

Pelath and Borders

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1280. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Pierce, Chair
Wolkins

Advisors:

Austin and Friend

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the

Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1224. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Van Haaften, Chair
Turner

Advisors:

Pelath, Bell, and Stutzman

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1219. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Tyler, Chair
Koch

Advisors:

Stilwell, Turner, and Bell

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1196. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Pierce, Chair
Richardson

Advisors:

GiaQuinta, Lehe, and M. Smith

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1172. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Welch, Chair
T. Brown

Advisors:

C. Brown and Leonard

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1125. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Goodin, Chair
Buell

Advisors:

E. Harris, Espich, and McClain

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1111. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Klinker, Chair
Foley

Advisors:

V. Smith and Steuerwald

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1049. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Porter, Chair
Behning

Advisors:

Battles, VanDenbergh, and Dermody

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1140. The Speaker of the House has appointed the following Representatives as a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon:

Conferees:

Fry, Chair
Murphy

Advisors:

GiaQuinta, Knollman, and Ripley

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Senate Joint Resolution 1 with amendments and the same is herewith returned to the Senate for concurrence.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills 312, 314, 315, 316, 329, 334, 336, 339, 345, 350, 200, 157, 215, 226, 43, and 143 with amendments and the same are herewith returned to the Senate for concurrence.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed, without amendments, Engrossed Senate Bill 281 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills 257, 258, 269, 302, and 307 with amendments and the same are herewith returned to the Senate for concurrence.

CLINTON MCKAY
Principal Clerk of the House

**MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE
OF THE INDIANA STATE SENATE**

Madam President and Members of the Senate: I have on March 3, 2008, signed Senate Enrolled Act 281.

DAVID C. LONG
President Pro Tempore

**MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT
OF THE SENATE**

Members of the Senate: I have on the 28th day of February, 2008, signed Senate Enrolled Act 249.

REBECCA S. SKILLMAN
Lieutenant Governor

**REPORT OF THE
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of

March 3, 2008

Senate 1093

the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed Senate Bill 235:

Conferees: Landske, Chair and Broden

Advisors: Lawson and Errington

LONG
Date: 2/27/2008
Time: 4:03 p.m.

Report adopted.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed Senate Bill 42:

Conferees: Miller, Chair and Sipes

Advisors: Mishler and Rogers

LONG
Date: 2/27/2008
Time: 4:05 p.m.

Report adopted.

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT OF CONFeree ASSIGNMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1071:

Conferees: Landske and Skinner

Advisors: Lawson and Deig

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:33 p.m.

Report adopted.

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT OF CONFeree ASSIGNMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1096:

Conferees: Bray and Lanane

Advisors: Steele and Broden

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:42 p.m.

Report adopted.

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT OF CONFeree ASSIGNMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1107:

Conferees: Lubbers and Sipes

Advisors: Drozda and Rogers

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:17 p.m.

Report adopted.

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT OF CONFeree ASSIGNMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1117:

Conferees: Hershman and Lewis

Advisors: Wyss and R. Young

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:25 p.m.

Report adopted.

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT OF CONFeree ASSIGNMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1159:

Conferees: Merritt and Broden

Advisors: Hershman and Lanane

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:29 p.m.

Report adopted.

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT OF CONFeree ASSIGNMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1197:

Conferees: Hershman and Broden

Advisors: Steele and Lanane

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:33 p.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1204:

Conferees: Kruse and Tallian

Advisors: Wyss and Arnold

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:30 p.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1290:

Conferees: Lawson and Sipes

Advisors: Becker and Tallian

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:31 p.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1019:

Conferees: Meeks and Hume

Advisors: Kruse and Becker

LONG
Date: 2/28/2008
Time: 2:43 p.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1042:

Conferees: Steele and Lewis

Advisors: Waltz and Lanane

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:43 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1049:

Conferees: Lubbers and Sipes

Advisors: Alting and Skinner

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:44 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1111:

Conferees: Lawson and Broden

Advisors: Mishler and Breaux

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time 9:47 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1125:

Conferees: Kenley and Simpson

Advisors: Dillon, Mrvan, Walker, and Broden

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:50 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1140:

Conferees: Dillon and Simpson

Advisors: Miller and Deig

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:51 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1196:

Conferees: Landske and Deig

Advisors: Lawson, Broden, Boots, and Arnold

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:54 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1172:

Conferees: Mishler and Broden

Advisors: Miller and Errington

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:53 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1219:

Conferees: Kruse and Arnold

Advisors: Mishler, Tallian, Walker, and Deig

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:55 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1224:

Conferees: Meeks and Deig

Advisors: Becker and Hume

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:56 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1280:

Conferees: Hershman and Simpson

Advisors: Gard and Breaux

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:57 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1284:

Conferees: Paul and Smith

Advisors: M. Young and Lewis

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 9:58 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1286:

Conferees: Gard and Deig

Advisors: Boots and Lanane

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 10:16 a.m.

Report adopted.

**PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE'S REPORT
OF CONFEREE ASSIGNMENTS**

Pursuant to Rule 81(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, President Pro Tempore David C. Long has appointed the following senators to serve as Senate conferees (or advisors) on Engrossed House Bill 1379:

Conferees: Charbonneau and Simpson

Advisors: Paul and Arnold

LONG
Date: 3/3/2008
Time: 10:18 a.m.

Report adopted.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Hershman be added as coauthor of Engrossed Senate Bill 339.

MERRITT

Motion prevailed.

**MOTIONS TO DISSENT
FROM HOUSE AMENDMENTS**

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 123 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

JACKMAN

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 72 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

KRUSE

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 157 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

MILLER

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 312 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

BOOTS

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 350 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

LAWSON

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution 1 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

KENLEY

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 143 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

GARD

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 43 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

GARD

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 200 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

GARD

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the Senate dissent to the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill 302 and that a conference committee be appointed to confer with a like committee of the House.

MISHLER

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move we adjourn until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 4, 2008.

LONG

Motion prevailed.

The Senate adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

MARY C. MENDEL
Secretary of the Senate

REBECCA S. SKILLMAN
President of the Senate